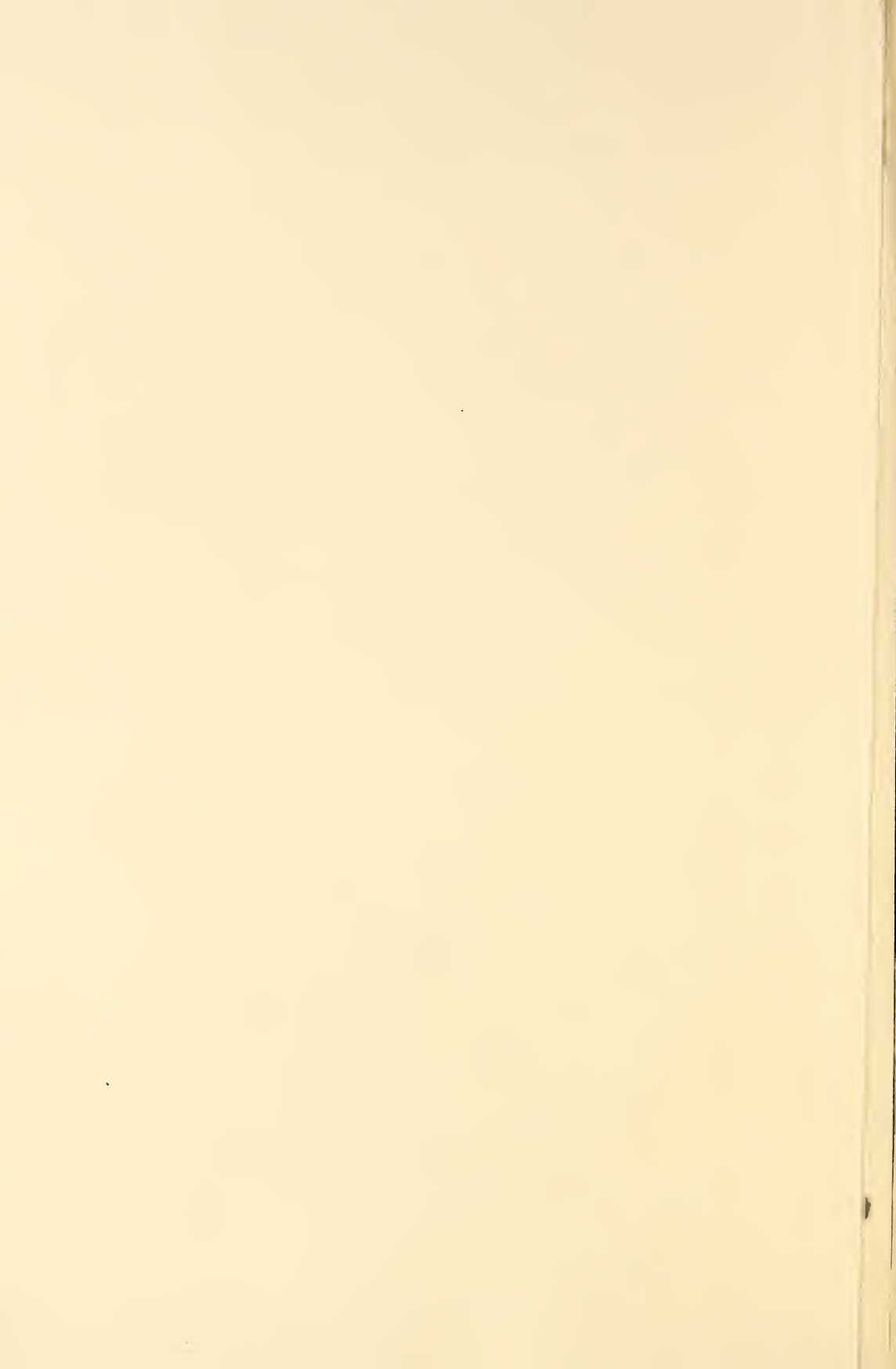


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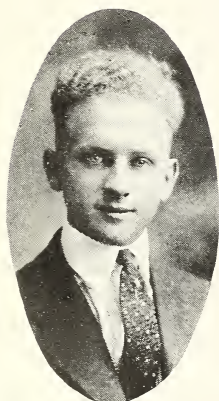
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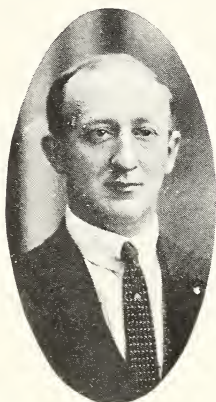
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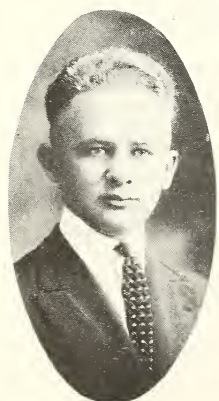
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WELLER'S HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS

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Why you will find Weller's Perennials the best and most satisfactory

Because we make a specialty of growing them to perfection, and make it our point to give you SERVICE, QUALITY AND VALUE. Besides our land possesses qualities that can hardly be copied anywhere, but around the nursery centers of Boskoop, Holland. Our plants make REAL ROOTS, and what is more important to a Perennial than a GOOD ROOT SYSTEM?

All plants offered in this list are strong field-grown, “With That Wonderful Root System;” the only Perennials that give results and satisfaction. They are far better than pot grown plants, as they are more vigorous and healthy, and sure to flower in abundance the first season. Our nursery is a real garden itself, so why question results when they are a year older. We want your business and keep it, for we are growing more every year. You will not appreciate our stock and good service until you have convinced yourself by a trial order.

GENERAL LIST

Those marked * are especially suited for cutting.

In description the flowering period is indicated by the name of the months as May-June, etc.

	per doz.	per 100
ACHILLEA (Millfol or Yarrow)		
*MILLEFOLIUM ROSEUM. Heads of soft rose flowers. 1½-2 ft. June-Aug.	\$1.20	\$9.00
*PTARMICA FL. PL., THE PEARL. For cutting, this is the most useful in hardy plants. Double white flower, produced in great abundance all summer. 2-2½ ft.	1.20	8.00
*PTARMICA BOULE DE NEIGE. Double white flowers of compact habit. Ideal for edging. 2 ft. June-Sept.	1.50	10.00
AGROSTEMMA (Rose Campion)		
CORONARIA. Glowing crimson flowers, making a striking contrast with the silvery foliage. 2 ft. June-July.	1.75	12.00
ALYSSUM (Madwort)		
SAXATILE COMPACTUM. A dwarf plant suitable for sunny position in rock garden or in front of border, bearing a great abundance of yellow flowers in May. 1 ft.	1.50	10.00
ANCHUSA		
ITALICA, DROPMORE VARIETY. A beautiful plant for the border in woodlands, producing spikes of gentian blue flowers. 4-5 ft. June.	1.50	10.00
ANEMONE (Windflower)		
One of the most useful families of hardy plants. Especially the Japanese varieties which are valuable for their late flowering qualities and as cut flowers cannot be surpassed. Sept.-Nov.		
*JAPONICA ALBA. Pure white. 3 ft.	2.00	15.00
” QUEEN CHARLOTTE. Silvery pink 3 ft.	2.00	15.00
” ROSEA. Beautiful soft pink. 3 ft.	2.00	15.00
” RUBRA. Red. 3 ft.	2.00	15.00
” WHIRLWIND. Large pure white. 3 ft.	2.00	15.00
*ST.BRIGID. Fine for cutting, comprising an array of various colors, semi-double and double		6.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

	per doz.	per 100
ANTHEMIS (Hardy Margarite)		
*TINCTORIA KELWAYI. Beautiful daisy-like flowers, of clear yellow; very useful for cutting. 2 ft. June-Oct.	\$1.00	\$ 7.00
AQUILEGIA (Columbine)		
Indispensable for the herbaceous border and rock-garden. Their various colored flowers are valuable for cutting and any form of floral arrangement.		
*CANADENSIS. Scarlet and yellow. 2 ft. May-June	1.00	8.00
*CHRYSANTHA. Very graceful, soft yellow flowers. 2½ ft. May-June	1.50	10.00
*COERULEA. Blue and white. 2 ft. May-June.	1.50	10.00
*HELENÆ. Large blue flowers and wide expanded white corolla. 2 ft. May-June.	1.75	12.00
*LONG SPURRED HYBRIDS. Various colors with long spurs, excellent for cutting	1.50	10.00
*NIVEA GRANDIFLORA. Pure white. 2 ft. May-June	1.20	8.00
*VULGARIS. Violet blue. A strong flower. 2 ft. May-June	1.20	8.00
*MIXED. All colors	1.20	8.00
ARABIS (Rock Cress)		
ALPINA. Pure white, very useful for rock-garden or edging. 9 in. April-May.	1.50	10.00
ARMERIA (Thrift)		
A plant of dwarf tufted habit, suitable for border or rock-garden. Extra fine for cutflowers.		
*FORMOSA. Flesh to deep rose. 9 in. June-July	1.50	12.00
ASCLEPIAS (Butterfly Weed)		
*TUBEROSA. Orange yellow flowers, followed by a profusion of conspicuous seed pods. 2 ft. July-Aug.	1.50	10.00
ASTER (Michaelmas Daisy)		
This family among the showiest of our late flowering plants are a native of this country. The various colors, size of flowers and extreme hardiness make them highly desirable for various forms of gardening and especially for cut flowers		
ACRIS. Very early; large shaggy heads of lavender blue flowers during July-Aug. 2 ft.	2.00	15.00
*AMETHYSTINUS. A well branched species being covered with small amethyst blue flowers during October. 4 ft.	1.50	10.00
*BEAUTY OF COLWALL. Upright, compact, free branching, covered with large semi-double flowers of ageratum blue during September. 4 ft	1.50	10.00
*CLIMAX. Pale mauve with full golden yellow centers arranged on long branching stems. 5-6 ft. Sept-Oct.	2.00	15.00
*FELTHAM BLUE. Large clear blue flowers. 4 ft. Sept.	1.50	10.00
*LÆVIS. A beautiful light blue variety. 4 ft. Sept.	1.50	10.00
*MME. SOYNEUSE. Dwarf, deep purple with yellow center. 2-2½ ft. Sept-Oct.	2.00	15.00
*NOVÆ ANGLIÆ. Violet purple. 4 ft. Sept-Oct.	1.50	10.00
*NOVÆ ANGLIÆ ROSEA. Bright rosy mauve. 4 ft. Sept.	1.50	10.00
*PERRY'S BLUE. A fine lavender blue. 3 ft. Sept-Oct.	1.50	10.00
*ST. EGWIN. Large clear pink flowers. Plant grows compact and symmetrical. 2½ ft. Sept.	1.75	12.00
*SNOWFLAKE. Small pure white. 2½ ft. Sept-Oct.	1.50	10.00
*TARTARICUS. A very distinct with bluish violet flower. 5-6 ft. Oct.	2.00	15.00
*THOM. S. WARE. Delicate blue. 3-4 ft. Sept.	1.50	10.00
*WHITE QUEEN. Pure white, fine for cutting. 3 ft. Sept.	1.50	10.00
*ALPINUS (Dwarf Alpine) Large bluish purple. Very desirable for rock-garden. 9 in. May-June	1.50	10.00
BAPTISIA (False Indigo)		
AUSTRALIS. A vigorous lupin-like plant with racemes of dark blue flowers 2 ft. June-July	1.50	10.00
BOCCONIA (Plume Poppy)		
CORDATA. A stately plant, bearing panicles of creamy white flowers. Handsome for shrubby border or masses. 6-8 ft. July-Aug.	1.20	8.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

	per doz.	per 100
BOLTONIA (False Starwort)		
Strong growing Aster-like plant, well adapted for cutflowers.		
*ASTEROIDES. White. 5-6 ft. Aug-Sept.....	\$1.20	\$8.00
*LATISQUAMA. Pink flowers in great abundance. 4-5 ft.	1.20	8.00
*BUDDLEYA (Butterfly Bush)		
One of the most admired shrubs in the trade. Lovely light blue flower spikes, radiating a delightful perfume of spring-lilacs. Ideal for cut-flowers and other floral arrangements	3.00	20.00
CAMPANULA (Bellflower or Harebell)		
Largest and most beautiful family of border plants in cultivation. Very free flowering and easy growing.		
CARPATICA. A dwarf variety, suitable for the rock-garden, having blue cup-shaped flowers. 9 in. June-Aug	1.50	10.00
CARPATICA ALBA. A white variety of the above	1.50	10.00
MEDIUM. The old-fashioned and well known Canterbury Bell. Invaluable for making a striking effect in the border during June. 2 ft. Can be supplied in dark blue, light blue, rose and white	1.50	10.00
MEDIUM CALYCANTHEMA (Cup and Saucer.) This is one of the most popular and hardiest forms. Single cup-shaped flower set in a saucer-like calyx. Entire flower of one color. Can be supplied in blue, rose and white	1.50	10.00
PERSICIFOLIA (Peach Bell). Large blue flowers. 2 ft. June-July	2.00	15.00
PERSICIFOLIA ALBA. A white variety of the above	2.00	15.00
CENTAUREA (Knapweed)		
Vigorous-growing free flowering plant of easy culture; excellent for cutting.		
*MONTANA. Large violet blue flower, resembling the Cornflower. 2 ft. July-Sept.	1.50	12.00
*MONTANA ALBA. A white variety of the above	1.50	12.00
CERASTIUM (Mouse Ear or Chickweed)		
TOMENTOSUM. A splendid trailing plant for the rock-garden, old walls or carpeting. Has downy foliage and snow white flowers in spring	1.75	12.00
CHELONE (Shell Flower)		
Splendid border plant.		
*BARBATA TORREYI. Scarlet spikes. 3 ft. June-Sept.....	2.00	15.00
CHRYSANTHEMUM (Hardy October Rose)		
The development of the hardy Chrysanthemum has made it possible to have color, life and beauty in the garden when the other hardy plants are past. Fine for cutflowers.		
*LARGE FLOWERING VARIETIES. Separate colors red, pink, white yellow and purple.....	1.75	12.00
*POMPON VARIETIES. Same as above.....	2.00	15.00
*MAXIMUM ALASKA (Shasta Daisy). A much improved hardy daisy bearing a great profusion of large white flowers from early summer until late in the fall. Fine for cutflowers. 2-2½ ft.....	1.20	8.00
*MAXIMUM KING EDWARD VII. Flowers somewhat larger than the above.....	1.20	8.00
CIMICIFUGA (Snakeroot)		
RACEMOSA. Large handsome glossy leaves with graceful spreading spikes of pure white flowers. 4 ft. July-Aug.....	2.00	
CONVALLARIA (Lily of the Valley)		
*MAJALIS. Pure white fragrant flowers, being invaluable for floral designs.	0.80	6.00
COREOPSIS (Tickseed)		
*LANCLOLATA GRANDIFLORA. The flowers are a rich golden yellow of slender graceful form, making them an excellent cutflower. 2 ft. All summer	1.00	7.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

DELPHINIUMS (Larkspur)

per doz. per 100

It is almost impossible to convey anything like an adequate description of the improved Delphiniums. Their greatest charm lies in the wonderful stateliness of growth, and the rich colors and tints of their striking flowers. Surely there is nothing in blue, to compare with the Delphiniums, and for their value in hardy borders, they are unsurpassed. The florists who have realized their worthiness as cut flowers are now forcing them with marked success. By continuously keeping the blooms cut they may be kept flowering for an extended period, and when other flowers are scarce, they are sold at big prices. We are growing a special heavy grade for forcing and if you have not already given them a trial, do not fail to do so this winter

*BELLADONNA. The most popular variety. The sky blue flowers are freely borne on numerous branching stems until frost. 4 ft.....	\$1.50	\$ 9.00
*BELLAMOSA. A deep blue form of Belladonna	1.75	12.00
*FORMOSUM. A vigorous plant having dark blue flowers with white centers. 3-4 ft.....	1.50	10.00
*GOLD MEDAL HYBRIDS. Very free flowering ranging from light blue to dark purple	1.75	12.00
*CHINESE. A beautiful gentian blue variety, very free flowering. 1½ ft.	1.20	8.00
*CHINESE ALBUM. A white variety of the above.....	1.20	8.00
*HYBRIDUM DOUBLE MIXED. Various shades. 2 ft.....	2.00	

DIANTHUS BARBATUS. (Sweet William)

While it is impossible to determine the value of this group of the most popular old fashioned garden plants, we know that their striking colors, pleasing fragrance and freedom of blooming, make them a favorite with all lovers of hardy flowers. Where an abundance of cutflowers is desirable, these cannot be surpassed. Florists throughout the country highly praise them for summer cutting.

*MIXED. An array of the most beautiful colored flowers which are lasting and excellent for cutting. 1-1½ ft. May-June.....	1.00	7.00
ALBA. A white species of the above	1.20	8.00
HOLBORN GLORY. A first strain of mixed colors	1.20	8.00
*NEWPORT PINK. A soft salmon pink. (New).....	1.20	8.00
*SCARLET BEAUTY. A vivid scarlet, making a striking contrast with the other varieties	1.20	8.00
*LATIFOLIUS ATROCOCCINEOUS FL. PL. Beautiful deep crimson double flowers, produced continuously throughout the summer	1.50	10.00
*LATIFOLIUS. Double mixed. Various colors of the preceding.....	1.50	10.00

DIANTHUS PLUMARIUS (Hardy Pink)

*SINGLE MIXED. Dainty fringed flowers of mixed colors. 1 ft.....	1.20	8.00
*DOUBLE MIXED. Double variety of the preceding. 1 ft.....	1.50	10.00
*ALBUS PLENUS. Pure white, double variety. 1 ft.....	1.50	10.00
*SEMPERFLORENS. A lovely pink variety. 1½ ft.....	1.50	10.00
*WHITE RESERVE. An everblooming white variety. 1 ft.....	2.00	15.00

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

One of the most popular plants of today, throwing a flower spike, tall and stately to the height of from 4-6 ft. July-Aug.....	1.20	8.00
GRANDIFLORA. A beautiful clear yellow variety	1.20	8.00
GLOXINAEFLORA. A strain of finely spotted varieties. We offer them in purple, rose and white.....	1.20	8.00
MACULATA SUPERBA. A fine spotted strain	1.50	10.00
MONTROSA. Large flowers of cup-shape, unusually tall and effective in the garden. All shades	1.50	10.00

EUPATORIUM (Henmp Agrimony)

Vigorous growing plants of easy culture, more suitable for the rougher parts of the garden and the woodlands than herbaceous border.

*AGERATOIDES. Pure white ageratum-like flowers. 3 ft. Aug-Sept.....	1.50	10.00
*FRASERI. Resembles the ageratoides, only later in flowering	2.00	15.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

FUNKIA (Plantain Lily)

An attractive group of plants of tropical appearance, lending themselves to any number of uses.

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COERULEA. Flowers of a dainty shade of mauve with broad green leaves. 2 ft. July.....	\$1.50	\$10.00
LANCEOLATA. Lilac flowers, valuable for its late flowering qualities. 2 ft. Sept.....	1.50	10.00
LANCIFOLIA. Lilac flowers, foliage green with white margin. 2 ft. June-Aug.....	1.50	10.00
*SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA. Pure white, lily shaped. 2 ft. Aug.	2.50	20.00
UNDULATA MEDIA VARIEGATA. Lilac flowers, foliage deep green, yellow stripe. Fine for borders. 2 ft. July	1.75	12.00

GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

The most glorious of our true "Old Fashioned Flowers." Flowering continuously from June to October in many rich and brilliant colors of orange, crimson and red. As a cutflower they cannot be excelled and can be used in any kind of floral arrangement.

*GRANDIFLORA. Ranging in color from old gold to rich crimson. 1½ ft. June-Oct.....	1.20	8.00
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GEUM (Avena)

Beautiful dwarf plants of tufted compact habit with long flowering period.

*ATRO-SANGUINEUM FL. PL. A beautiful double scarlet borne on branching stems. 1½ ft. May-Sept.....	2.00	15.00
*COCCINIUM MRS. BRADSHAW. A stout branching little plant of recent introduction, bearing large double scarlet flowers in great profusion. Excellent for cutting. 2 ft. May-Sept.....	2.00	15.00

GYPSOPHILLA (Chalk plant or Baby's Breath)

Masses of minute white flowers produced throughout the summer. Very useful for cutting.

*PANICULATA. Pure white. 2-3 ft. July-Aug.....	1.50	10.00
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GRASSES

The hardy ornamental grasses are adapted to many positions in the garden. On the water side or as a border, they are especially effective.

ERIANTHUS RAVENEA (Plume Grass). Violet tinged leaves, resembling the Pampas Grass in habit. Graceful flower spikes of 5-6 ft.....	2.00	15.00
EULALIA GRACILLIMA UNIVITTATA. Long narrow leaves borne on slender arching stems 4-6 ft.....	2.00	15.00
EULALIA JAPONICA VARIEGATA. White green and yellow striped leaves. 4-5 ft.....	2.00	15.00
EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA. Like the preceding variety, but the leaves are marked with yellow bars. 4-6 ft.....	2.00	15.00
PENNISETUM JAPONICUM (Hardy Fountain Grass). This variety grows about 4 ft. high, foliage narrow of a bright green, while the cylindrical flower heads are tinged with bronze purple	1.50	10.00
PHALARIS ARUNDINACEA. FOL. VAR. (Variegated Ribbon Grass.) Variegated foliage, excellent for bordering large beds	1.20	8.00

HELENIUM (Sneezeweed)

A vigorous growing hardy border plant flowering from early spring until late fall. Useful for cutting.

AUTUMNALE SUPERBUM. Clear yellow. 3½ ft. Aug-Sept.....	1.50	10.00
*RIVERTON BEAUTY. Large yellow flowers with black centers. 3½ ft. Aug-Sept.....	2.00	15.00
RIVERTON GEM. Old gold, changing to wallflower red. 4 ft.....	2.00	15.00

HELIANTHUS (Perennial Sunflower)

The usefulness of this beautiful hardy plant can neither by word or illustration be expressed. Their rich golden color and their full formed growth make them wonderfully effective in the hardy border or shrubbery planting. As a cutflower for floral decorations, they are unexcelled.

*MISS MELLISH. Tall stately growth with clear yellow flowers. 6-8 ft. Sept-Nov.....	1.20	8.00
*MULTIFLORUS FL. PL. Erect bush-like habit, with masses of clear yellow double flower that resembles the flowers of a cactus Dahlia. For bouquets and floral arrangements, this variety is supreme. 5-6 ft. Aug-Sept.....	1.75	12.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

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HELIOPSIS (Orange Sunflower)		
In general it is like the Helianthus, of dwarf habit but is also very valuable for cutting.		
*PITCHERIANA. Golden yellow flowers throughout the summer. 3 ft.....	\$1.50	\$10.00
*SCABRA ZINNIAEFLOREA. Double yellow, resembling the flowers of Zinnia. 2 ft.....	1.50	10.00
HEMEROCALLIS (Day Lily)		
Lily-like flowers, very ornamental foliage.		
*FLAVA. Pure yellow, flowers fragrant, 2-3 ft. June-July	1.50	10.00
*FULVA. Trumpet shaped flowers of orange with darker shading. 4-5 ft. June-July	1.20	8.00
*THUMBERGII. Funnel shaped flowers of rich butter-cup yellow. 4 ft. July	1.50	10.00
HEUCHERA (Alum Root or Coral Bell)		
A beautiful dwarf compact plant, bearing loose graceful spikes of flowers in great profusion. Valuable for the rockery and for cutting.		
*SANGUINEA. Bright coral flowers in great profusion.	2.50	20.00
HIBISCUS (Mallow)		
Very robust growing plant having large flowers of rich shades of red, pink and white	2.00	15.00
MOSCHEUTOS. Flowers light rose with darker eye. Aug.-Sept.....	1.50	12.00
CRIMSON EYE. Immense large flowers of pure white with rich dark red center. 5-6 ft. Aug.-Sept.....	1.50	10.00
NEW GIANT FLOWERING MARSH MALLOWS. This wonderful new variety has been greatly improved and not alone produces flowers of enormous size, but the colors have been greatly improved on. These can be supplied in mixed colors. 5-7 ft. July-Aug.....	2.00	15.00
HOLLYHOCKS.		
Under our improved methods we grow Hollyhock that are absolutely FREE FROM RUST. Do not make a mistake and buy without this assurance.		
DOUBLE VARIETIES MIXED	1.00	7.00
" " in separate colors, maroon, red, rose, salmon, white and yellow.....	1.20	8.00
SINGLE VARIETIES MIXED	1.00	7.00
" " in separate colors, pink, red, and white	1.20	8.00
ALLEGHANY. Enormous flowers, beautifully formed with loosely arranged fringed petals. Colors vary from pale pink to red	1.20	8.00
NEWPORT PINK. Of strong vigorous habit producing wonderful spikes of very double pure pink flowers; a color that cannot be surpassed in pink	1.20	8.00
IBERIS (Candytuft)		
A dwarf plant with evergreen foliage; very adaptable for the rock-garden or border.		
SEMPERVIRENS. Pure white flowers; of branching habit. 1 ft. April-May	2.00	15.00
*IRIS GERMANICA (German Iris)		
The most popular of the Iris family. Besides their usefulness in landscape, they are becoming very popular for cutflowers and floral work. The following list has been carefully selected as the best varieties for general purposes. Descriptions (S) denotes the upper petals or standards; (F) denotes the lower petals or falls.		
AURORA. Golden yellow	1.20	8.00
AUSTRALIA. "S" Deep lavender; "F" soft blue, very tall and large.	1.00	7.00
BLACK PRINCE. (Kochi) "S" lilac; "F" velvety black	1.20	8.00
CANARY. "S" yellow; "F" crimson purple.....	1.00	6.00
CELESTE. Beautiful sky blue, very fine	1.20	8.00
CONQUEROR OF EUROPE. "S" white; "F" purple	1.00	6.00
DARIUS. "S" primrose yellow; "F" lilac and primrose75	5.00
FAIRY QUEEN. "S" pale lavender; "F" lavender	1.20	8.00
FLAVESCENS. A delicate shade of soft yellow	1.00	6.00
FLORENTINA. Fine blue.....	1.00	6.00
FLORENTINA. Best pure white	1.00	6.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

IRIS GERMANICA—Continued

	per doz	per 100
GERTRUDE. Deep violet blue, very fragrant	\$1.00	\$6.00
HARLEQUIN MILONIUS. "S" white, splashed violet; "F" lavender	1.00	6.00
HER MAJESTY "S" soft rose; "F" deeper rose, heavily veined	1.20	8.00
HONORABILIS. "S" golden; "F" mahogany brown	1.00	6.00
JACQUESIANA. "S" bright coppery crimson; "F" rich maroon	1.20	8.00
JUNIATA. "S" and "F" Clear blue, deeper than Dalmatica. Large and fragrant	1.50	10.00
LAVENDER. A fine sky blue75	5.00
LOHENGRIN. Large silvery mauve flowers	1.20	8.00
MADAME CHEREAU. "S" and "F" white, fringed with azure blue	1.00	6.00
MRS. H. DARWIN. "S" clear waxy white; "F" white75	5.00
ORIFLAMMA. "S" light blue; "F" rich violet purple. Immense flowers	3.00	20.00
PALLIDA DALMATICA. The most beautiful of all Iris. Strong grower, free bloomer. Exquisite shades of lavender-blue	1.20	8.00
PUMILA. "S" violet blue; "F" deep violet purple	1.20	8.00
PURPLE KING. Full purple	1.10	7.00
QUEEN of MAY. A soft lilac rose almost pink; beautiful	1.20	8.00
SAN SOUCI. "S" Canary yellow; "F" yellow with brown, one of the best	1.20	6.00
SIBERICA BLUE. Purplish blue	1.00	6.00
SIBERICA WHITE. Pure white	1.00	6.00

*IRIS KAEMPFERI (Japanese Iris)

In separate colors	2.00	15.00
Mixed colors	1.50	10.00

*LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Perennial Sweet Pea)

A vigorous climber. Suitable to cover unsightly places. Flowers all summer; mixed	1.50	10.00
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LINIUM (Perennial Flax)

PERENNE. Large blue flowers. Suitable for rockery, light graceful foliage	1.20	8.00
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LUPINUS (Lupine)

*POLYPHYLLUS. Tall flower spikes crowded with deep blue pea-shaped blossoms. 3-4 ft. June-July	2.00	15.00
*POLYPHYLLUS ALBUS. A white variety of the above	2.00	15.00

LYCHNIS (Jerusalem Cross)

*CHALCEDONICA. Flat heads of bright scarlet, borne on stout leafy stems. 2-3 ft. July-Aug. Suitable for cutting	1.20	8.00
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LYTHRUM (Loosestrife)

*ROSEUM SUPERBUM. A strong growing plant producing long stems of rose colored flowers. Very desirable for cutting. 3-4 ft. July-Sept.	1.50	10.00
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MONARDA (Bergamot)

DIDYMA. Bright red heads of flowers on 3 ft. stems. Very fragrant. June-Aug.	1.50	10.00
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MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)

*PALUSTRIS SEMPERFLORENS. Beautiful small blue flowers, excellent for floral decorations and designs. Through planting in a moist shady place the flowering period may be much prolonged	1.00	7.00
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PAPAVER (Poppy)

NUDICAULE (Iceland Poppy). A neat dwarf-like plant, from which springs graceful leafless stems with charming cupshaped flower in great abundance, throughout the entire summer, making them a desirable cutflower. We offer them in orange, scarlet, white and yellow. 1 ft.	1.50	10.00
ORIENTALIS (Oriental Poppy). Nothing in the hardy plant line can compare with the Oriental Poppy for brilliancy and beauty. With their large fiery scarlet flowers, they are conspicuous in any position. 3-4 ft. May-June.	1.75	12.00
ORIENTALIS MRS. PERRY. One of the finest of late introduction, having flowers of a delicate salmon pink. 3 ft. May-June	2.00	15.00

PENSTEMON (Beard Tongue)

A handsome plant with graceful slender stems covered almost the entire length with bright colored flowers. Invaluable for cutting.		
*BARBATUS TORREYI. Bright scarlet. 3-4 ft. June-Aug.	1.75	12.00

PERENNIALS--Continued

*PHLOX (Hardy)

per doz. per 100

Beauty and usefulness bring these hardy border plants among those of greatest importance. For massing they are very effective and their great variety of colors add a brilliancy to the landscape. Their flowering season begins in July and when the past bloom spikes are removed, the blooming period may be prolonged until fall.		
In general variety as below.....	\$1.75	\$12.00
BARON VON DEDEM. Bright rich scarlet, extra large flowers.		
BRIDESMAID. Pure white, with crimson eye, extra tall.		
CHAMPS ELYSEES. Bright, rosy magenta.		
ECLAREUR. Mammoth flowers, carmine suffuse primrose.		
FAUST. White with cerise center.		
FRAU A. BUCHNER. Pure white, very large.		
INDEPENDENCE. Pure white, of low growing habit.		
ISABEY. Salmon pink.		
JEANNE D'ARC. Pure white, late flowering.		
MAD. P. DUTHRIE. Pale pink, large trusses.		
MRS. CHAS. DORR. A beautiful shade of lavender.		
MRS. JENKINS. Very fine white, robust grower.		
MRS. R. P. STRUTHERS. Bright rosey red with crimson eye.		
PANTHEON. Rose pink. Very popular sort.		
RICH. WALLACE. Pure white with maroon center		
RYNSTROM. Deep pink, large flowers.		
SIR E. LANDSER. Bright crimson.		
SUNSET. Dark rosy pink.		
TERRA NOVA. Lavender with light center.		
THE BAIDE. Rosy pink.		
VON LASSBERG. The largest of all pure whites.		
WHITE QUEEN. Pure white, very large.		

PHLOX (Suffruticosa)

This variety flowers two weeks earlier than the Decussata varieties.

*MISS LINGARD. Pure white, with lilac eye.....	1.75	12.00
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PHLOX VARIOUS SPECIOUS (Dwarf Phlox)

DIVARICATA CANADENSIS. A native species, commencing to bloom in April and continuing through May. Blue lavender fragrant flowers. 1 ft.	1.75	10.00
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PHLOX SUBULATA (Moss Pink)

Dwarf trailing plants, with moss-like evergreen foliage. Excellent for edging or rock garden.

ALBA. Pure white	1.75	12.00
ROSEA. Bright rose	1.75	12.00

*PHYSALIS FRANCHETTI (Chinese Lantern Plant)

It is not unusual at Christmas time and many other occasions to be short of proper decorating material. We are, therefore, growing and adding to our list this wonderful hardy plant which is very strong growing and throws up numerous stems of two feet high, on which are borne a large fruit enclosed in a brilliant scarlet colored bladder-like calyx, which makes an excellent subject for any kind of decorating, especially Christmas. The plant is of easy culture and when planted in the fall or spring, they will bear their fruit the following fall when it can be gathered and kept in a dry place until you are ready to use them. Do not delay in getting some of these set out.....

1.20 8.00

PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragonhead)

*VIRGINICA. Soft pink tubular flowers on tall erect stems. 3-4 ft. July-Aug.....	1.00	7.00
*VIRGINICA ALBA. A white variety of the preceding.....	1.20	8.00

PLATYCODONS (Balloon flower)

*GRANDIFLORUM. Blue bell shaped flowers on graceful slender stems. Desirable for cutting. 2 ft. June-Oct.....	1.50	10.00
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PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM (Hardy Daisy)

A group of graceful free flowering plants. Their usefulness for cutting is unequalled. They range in color from pure white to the most brilliant scarlet. Although they bloom practically all the summer, they are at their best during June. 2-3 ft.....

1.50 10.00

*GRANDIFLORA SINGLE MIXED.....	1.50	10.00
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PERENNIALS--Continued

PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM—Continued.

	per doz.	per 100
*GRANDIFLORA DOUBLE MIXED. We have a fine stock of year plants of the double flowering of which owing to their scarcity, only a small quantity can be allowed to each customer	\$2.00	\$15.00
*ULIGINOSUM (Giant Daisy). Covered completely with large white daisy-like flowers. 3-4 ft. July-Sept.	1.50	10.00
RANUNCULUS (Buttercup)		
*ACRIS. An attractive little plant with golden yellow flowers. Suitable for the rocky or border, and fine for cutting.	1.00	7.00
*ACRIS FL. PL. A double variety of the above.	1.20	8.00
RUDBECKIA (Coneflower)		
Well adapted for the border or naturalizing. Exceptionally fine for cutting.		
*LACINIATA FL. PL. (Golden Glow). Clear yellow flowers 5-6 ft. July-Sept.	1.20	8.00
*NEWMANNI. Deep yellow flowers with conspicuous brown center. 2-3 ft. July-Oct.	1.20	8.00
*PURPUREA. (Purple Coneflower) Flowers extra large of a reddish purple with a large brown cone-shaped center. 3 ft. July-Oct.	1.50	10.00
SALVIA (Sage)		
AZUREA GRANDIFLORA. Tall spikes of sky-blue flowers in great abundance. 3-4 ft. Aug-Sept.	2.00	15.00
FARCIACIA. Mealy foliage and dark blue flowers. 2-3 ft. July-Aug.	1.50	10.00
SCABIOSA		
*CAUCASICA (Blue Bonnet). A soft and charming shade of lavender. Blooms from June until Sept. Very useful for cutting. 2 ft.	2.00	15.00
*JAPONICA. Similar to Caucasica, flowers being somewhat larger.	2.00	15.00
SEDUM (Stone crop)		
Suitable for rocky bedding and covering of graves.		
ACRE (Golden Moss). Foliage green, flowers bright yellow.	1.50	10.00
SIEBOLDI. Round glaucous foliage, bright pink flowers. Aug-Sept.	1.50	10.00
STATICE (Great Sea Lavender)		
*LATIFOLIA. Invaluable for cutting and floral work. Minute purplish flower during June and Aug. 2 ft.	2.00	15.00
STOKESIA (Cornflower Aster)		
A handsome native plant bearing from early in June until Sept. It has cornflower-like blossoms.		
*CYANEA. Bright lavender blue. 2 ft.	1.50	10.00
*CYANEA ALBA. A pure white variety of the above.	1.50	10.00
TRITOMA (Flame Flower)		
A beautiful late flowering plant having handsome reed-like foliage. Flowers are a rich orange scarlet. 2-3 ft. Sept-Nov.		
*PFITZERI. Spikes of red flowers. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Oct.	2.00	15.00
VERONICA (Speedwell)		
Valuable for their free growing qualities. Vary from dwarf to vigorous growing plants.		
*INCANA. Deep blue flower with silvery gray foliage. 1 ft. July.	1.75	12.00
*LONGIFOLIA SUBSESSILIS. Stout erect stems with intense deep blue flowers. 2-3 ft. July-Aug.	1.75	12.00
*SPICATA. Blue flowers. 2 ft. July-Aug.	1.75	12.00
VIOLA (Tufted Pansy)		
CORNUTA. Large masses of small mauve flowers throughout the summer.	1.00	7.00
VINCA MINOR		
A trailing plant of beautiful glossy green leaves, valuable for covering graves or shady slopes.	2.00	7.00
YUCCA (Adams Needle)		
FILIMENTOSA. A distinctive evergreen plant forming large sword like leaves and producing large spikes of white flowers. 4-6 ft. June-July.	2.00	15.00

PLANT PERENNIALS FOR CUTFLOWERS

No Florist, large or small, should be without a good collection of hardy Perennials in his garden. It's part of his business. It adds to the general appearance of his place, attracts the flower-loving public and affords him a liberal supply of cutflowers when greenhouse flowers are scarce.

Perennials may either be planted in fall or spring with good results, but for the Florists perhaps in September or October is the most favorable.

Perennials planted in the fall, will become thoroughly established before the winter sets in, and with a little covering of straw or litter, will not suffer during the winter and flower in great abundance the first summer.

Be an up-to-the-minute Florist and plant Perennials. It pays.

All Perennials suitable for cutting are marked with a (*) star.

HAVE A CONSTANT SUPPLY OF CUT FLOWERS

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Remember that these plants cost you nothing after they are once planted, and that they give you an abundance of cutflowers every year. Have you ever had anything in your Greenhouse that would yield you a crop from year to year without having to resow, repropagate, rebuy and to repot several times in one year? Make the Perennials your Supply House and save money. Watch the recommendations for the planting of Perennials in the trade-papers.

DAHLIAS

Strong Fieldgrown Divisions

	per 100
A. C. IDE, decorative, rich velvety maroon, very large	\$15.00
A. D. LEVONI, show, beautiful soft pink, quilled petals	8.00
APPLE BLOSSOM, decorative, a wonderful pink shade, large	8.00
DARK BEAUTY, an excellent dark red, decorative.. ..	10.00
DRACUT PURPLE, decorative	10.00
ELECTRIC, Cactus, large sulphur yellow with white tips	25.00
EMILY, show, solfrino with white markings.....	10.00
GUSTAV DUOSAN, decorative, rich fiery red, petals overlap perfectly	10.00
HOCHSAI, decorative, clear golden orange, darker shaded in center; early and very free flowering; a grand introduction and very useful for cutting	30.00
JACK ROSE, decorative, excellent for cutting	6.00
JACKSON, cactus, rich velvet maroon	15.00

DAHLIAS--Continued

KING OF THE AUTUMN. We consider this the most beautiful dahlia, not only for its strong straight stem, but also for its unexcelled buff yellow color, suffused with terra cotta. For florists' use it is unsurpassed, the flowers are borne by a wiry long and straight stem. The keeping quality of King of the Autumn is far better than of any other variety.	per 100
LITTLE BEAUTY, Pompon, very beautiful pink	\$40.00
LYNDHURST, decorative, a brilliant cardinal red, fine for cutting	10.00
MAID OF KENT, decorative, cherry red, tipped white.....	10.00
McINTOSH, decorative, extra large red	12.00
OBAN, decorative, mauve, very free flowering; fine for cutting.....	10.00
OREGON BEAUTY, decorative, oriental red with gold and garnet suffused	18.00
SNOWBALL, show, beautiful white, large	10.00
SYLVIA, decorative, deep pink, tinted to flesh pink in center, large and one of the best cutflower varieties	6.00
ZULU, decorative, lovely dark maroon	10.00

DAHLIA MIXTURES

MIXED, all colors, including most of the popular varieties.....	7.00
per 1000.....	60.00
EXHIBITION MIXED, containing the best varieties, including latest novelties	12.00
per 1000.....	110.00
10 VARIETIES, our selection.....	8.00

PEONIES

(Paeonia)

On account of the scarcity of Peonies this year our list in this catalogue would be too much subject to frequent changes.

Therefore if interested in Peonies kindly ask for our quotations and send us your want list if possible.

WELLER'S GLADIOLI

Disappointed With Your Indoor Gladioli?

If so, be more careful where you buy your bulbs this year.

Do you think we throw our flowers away without purpose?

Do you think we "top" the flowers when coloring, for our direct benefit?

Do you think Tulips and other Holland bulbs could be forced if the Holland Growers used their flowers for the market?

Exactly as with Tulips, etc., in the old country, we must realize, that to make a gladiolus fit for forcing, we cannot be inattentive to its needs in the field, if we want it to answer the special purpose of forcing.

It is often thought that Gladioli do not do well between carnations; that's not so, it is an established fact that putting Gladioli between carnations does not harm either crop, unless of course, the carnations are planted too close.

However, on account of the big profits in indoor Gladioli, it is best to give them a separate bench or part of it, so they may receive the same care you give your other stock.

“HINTS FOR FORCING”

For perfect flowers, plant *Gladiolus* bulbs about 2½" deep, be careful with your manure; water and sunlight are more important for *Gladioli* than manure. Any kind of sandy loam (a little heavy is allright) will do.

On the start they should not be watered very much; when about ¾ of a foot high, however, give them a liberal supply.

Carnation temperature is best; *Gladioli* do not want to be forced hard.

Use bulbs of from 1½" to 2" in diameter; bigger bulbs do not force as well, especially when they are flat, therefore, use young, round plump stock only.

Following we are giving a list of the best varieties for forcing.

For successful forcing of *Gladioli* it is vital not to use "picked-up" or "bargain" lots, the chance is too great that they come blind. For forcing a bulb should be used, containing absolute "FORCING QUALITY," by its variety, strength and method under which it is grown. Most florists prefer Michigan-grown stock; sand-grown bulbs are better adapted for forcing. By "topping" our flowers we leave all the "pep" in the bulbs, giving them a "PLUS-QUALITY," which makes our stock suitable for forcing.

WHEN YOU WANT GLADIOLI FOR FORCING BE SURE TO MENTION THIS IN YOUR ORDER.

GLADIOLI IN COLDFRAME

To produce flowers about two weeks ahead of flowers from field-grown bulbs, plantings should be made the middle of March or to suit climatic conditions. The frames should be ready then and the sash removed not before danger from frost is over. The bulbs should be planted from 4 to 5 inches apart and an extra supply of plantfood must be provided. Dilute liquid sheep manure twice a week after the plants have made some growth is advisable, also half a handful of nitrate of soda to a gallon of water is good.

As for forcing in greenhouse, the early varieties are also most advisable for this purpose.

THE BEST GLADIOLI VARIETIES FOR FORCING

	Per 1000	
	1½"	1¼"
AMERICA, soft pink, tinted lavender, most popular.....	\$24.00	\$20.00
CHICAGO WHITE, white, lavender marking in throat, very early	35.00	30.00
HALLEY, fine salmon pink with creamy blotch, large attractive flower, the most popular forcing variety, very early.....	35.00	30.00
L'IMMACULEE, the best commercial pure white <i>Gladiolus</i> , very tall spike, large flowers, well set and of great substance	75.00	64.00
MRS. FRANCIS KING, light scarlet, enormous wide open flowers, good forcer, excellent keeper	24.00	20.00
MRS. FRANK PENDLETON, soft salmon pink, brilliant carmine blotch in throat, a very high class <i>Gladiolus</i> with unsurpassed forcing qualities	45.00	38.00
MYRTLE, pale rose, deepening on outer petals. This variety is earlier than Halley and its qualities (wonderful color, tall growth, large flowers) are such that some florists made a specialty of forcing Myrtle	65.00	58.00
NIAGARA, beautiful creamy yellow, primrose yellow throat.....	40.00	34.00
PANAMA, clear pink, very large flowers well set on tall stem	40.00	34.00
PEACE, large white lower, pale violet feathering on interior petals, wonderful variety but a rather late bloomer.....	40.00	34.00
PINK BEAUTY, very early pink with large geranium blotch on lower petals	50.00	42.00
PRINCE OF WALES, improved Halley, sometimes earlier than this variety, full-sized bulbs often produce three splendid flowers. The color is a wonderful light salmon pink, shaded orange	70.00	60.00
PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS, best mixture of true <i>primulinus</i> ; this new race of <i>Gladioli</i> is especially adapted for forcing, they are earlier than other <i>Gladioli</i> ; the shades are in general softer. Perhaps orange and gold colors predominate, but <i>Primulinus</i> combine every shade of the rainbow. Flowers are somewhat smaller than other <i>Gladioli</i> and the stems sometimes gracefully curve.....	24.00	18.00
SCHWABEN, still the favorite of many a florist, pure canary yellow, shading to soft sulphur yellow, a sturdy plant.....	45.00	38.00
WILLBRINCK, a sport of Halley, as early or earlier. Color could be compared with that of America, while its four weeks earlier blooming than this variety makes it invaluable.....	60.00	51.00
WILLY WIGMAN, bluish white with dark carmine blotch, early	45.00	38.00
YELLOW HAMMER, considered by many as better than Schwaben, flowers wonderful pure yellow of a most desirable setting on a strong tall stem	50.00	42.00

MIXTURES

	per 1000	
EXHIBITION MIXED, containing a large percentage of the best varieties and latest novelties	1½" 1¼"	
FLORIST MIXED, consisting of best cutflower varieties	\$24.00	\$20.00
ORDINARY MIXED, at its moderate price, it will give entire satisfaction.....	22.00	18.00
	19.00	16.00

Gladioli for Outdoor Planting and Planting Stock

If interested in these, please drop us a line and we will immediately quote you our very best price.

Is Forcing of Gladioli Profitable?



Here are a few wholesale prices, taken from the Florist Review during different parts of the last two seasons.

1920		Per 100		
May 5	Boston	\$12.00	@	\$16.00
May 12	St. Louis	15.00	"	25.00
May 2	Philadelphia	12.50	"	
June 2	Chicago	12.00	"	15.00
June 19	Milwaukee	1.50	"	2.00

1921		Per 100		
May 4	Pittsburgh	\$20.00	@	\$25.00
May 18	Chicago	12.50	"	20.00
May 25	Chicago	12.50	"	20.00
June 1	Chicago	12.50	"	20.00
May 31	Boston	10.00	"	12.00
June 9	Milwaukee	12.50	"	16.50
June 15	St. Louis	8.00	"	12.00
June 22	St. Louis	8.00	"	12.00

It is clearly shown that not only the VERY FIRST indoor gladioli brought good prices but ALL FORCED GLADIOLI.

Weller's
Gladioli
 FOR FORCING
 "Ours for Flowers"

THE GREATEST PLEASURE

You Can Afford Us

Is to Visit Our Nurseries

You will receive a
hearty welcome and
be convinced that

Weller's Perennials

Must Give Satisfaction

